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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

AUGUST 1 (legislative day, JULY 19), 1977

Mr. PERCY introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works

A BILL

To insure adequate compensation to the United States for the use of Federal property for automobile parking purposes, to encourage the use of mass transportation and carpooling by Federal employees, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That this Act may be cited as the "Federal Parking Act".

4 SEC. 2. (a) No real property located in the United
5 States, which is owned or leased by, or otherwise under the
6 jurisdiction of, the United States Government, which is
7 principally utilized, as determined by the Administrator of
8 the General Services Administration, to provide parking
9 facilities for privately owned motor vehicles in connection

1 with employment, business, or visitation at Federal offices
2 or installations, may be utilized for such purpose unless there
3 is assessed against each such vehicle a charge or fee within
4 the range of charges or fees generally applicable for public
5 parking purposes in similar facilities in the same general
6 locality.

7 (b) As used in this Act the term "similar facilities"
8 shall refer to publicly available parking facilities in nearby
9 business or commercial areas which are of the same kind
10 (lot, garage, or on-street parking), convenience, and quality
11 as that granted on the Federal property. If such similar
12 facilities do not exist in nearby areas a fee shall be assessed
13 which reflects fees charged in any public or private parking
14 facility in a comparable area elsewhere in the United States.

15 SEC. 3. The restrictions imposed by section 2 of this Act
16 shall not be applicable to parking facilities provided in con-
17 nection with any Federal employee's residence, including,
18 but not limited to, housing and visitation facilities at mili-
19 tary bases and installations.

20 SEC. 4. The Administrator of the General Services Ad-
21 ministration, the Director of the Administrative Office of
22 United States Courts, and the Architect of the Capitol shall
23 take such steps as may be necessary to coordinate the respec-
24 tive activities of the executive, judicial, and legislative

1 branches of the Government in the implementation of the
2 restrictions imposed under section 2 of this Act.

3 SEC. 5. The provisions of this Act shall become effec-
4 tive upon its enactment; except that the restrictions im-
5 posed by section 2 of this Act shall become effective on the
6 first day of the first month which begins more than ninety
7 calendar days after the date of enactment of the Act.

8 SEC. 6. All revenues collected pursuant to the provisions
9 of this Act shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United
10 States as miscellaneous receipts.

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